

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In re Application of)	
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Willtronics Broadcasting)	Facility ID No. 72842
)	NAL/Acct. No. MB-202141410005
For Renewal of License for)	FRN: 0003755436
Station WFLQ(FM))	File No. 0000116203
French Lick, Indiana)	

ORDER

Adopted: February 16, 2021**Released: February 16, 2021**

By the Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau:

1. In this *Order*, we cancel a Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture¹ issued to Willtronics Broadcasting (Licensee), licensee of Station WFLQ(FM), French Lick, Indiana (Station), for apparently willfully violating section 73.3539 of the Commission's rules by failing to timely file a license renewal application for the Station.

2. The *NAL* correctly noted that the deadline for filing applications for renewal of radio stations licensed to communities in Indiana was April 1, 2020, the first day of the fourth full calendar month prior to the Station's August 1, 2020, license expiration date.² The *NAL* further stated that the Licensee had not provided an explanation for its failure to timely file the Station's license renewal application.³ However, the Licensee had in fact contacted the Media Bureau staff prior to the April 1, 2020 deadline, and requested an extension of the filing deadline, which the Bureau staff granted and subsequently extended the filing deadline until June 15, 2020, which is the day that Licensee filed the application.⁴

3. Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, pursuant to section 504(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,⁵ and sections 0.61, 0.283, and 1.80(f)(4) of the Commission's rules,⁶ the Notice of Apparent Liability for a Forfeiture (NAL/Acct. No. MB-202141410005) issued to Willtronics Broadcasting **IS CANCELLED** and the application for renewal of license filed by Willtronics Broadcasting for Station WFLQ(FM), French Lick, Indiana (File No. 0000116203) **IS GRANTED**.

¹ *Willtronics Broadcasting, Inc.*, File No. 0000116203, Memorandum Opinion and Order and Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture, DA 21-139 (MB Feb. 10, 2021) (*NAL*).

² *Id.* at para. 2, citing 47 CFR §§ 73.1020, 73.3539(a).

³ *Id.* at para. 2.

⁴ See Email from Wm. Gerald Willis, Willtronics Broadcasting, to Keith Coburn, Audio Division, FCC Media Bureau (Feb. 10, 2021, 18:13 EST); Email from Albert Shuldiner, Audio Division, FCC Media Bureau, to Wm. Gerald Willis, Willtronics Broadcasting (May 29, 2020 13:45 EDT).

⁵ 47 U.S.C. § 504(b).

⁶ 47 CFR §§ 0.61, 0.283, 1.80(f)(4).

4. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that copies of this *Order* shall be sent by First Class and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to William Gerald Willis, Willtronics Broadcasting, PO Box 100, French Lick, IN 47432.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Albert Shuldiner
Chief, Audio Division
Media Bureau